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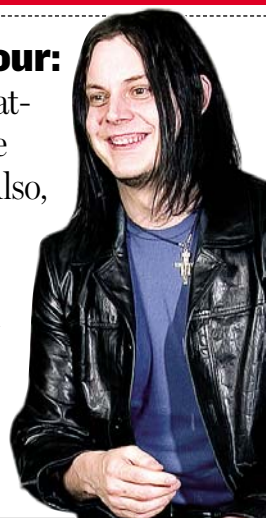
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Jefferson Taped Taking Cash

La. congressman seen accepting \$100K, court papers say

ALEXANDRIA, VA. | A congressman under investigation for bribery was caught on videotape accepting \$100,000 in \$100 bills from an FBI informant whose conversations with the lawmaker also were recorded, according to a court document released Sunday. Agents later found the cash hidden in his freezer.

At one audiotaped meeting, Rep. William Jefferson, D-La., chuckles about writing in code to keep secret what the government

contents was his corrupt role in getting his children a cut of a communications company's deal for work in Africa.

As Jefferson and the informant passed notes about what percentage the lawmaker's family might receive, the congressman "began laughing and said, 'All these damn notes we're writing to each other as if we're talking, as if the FBI is watching,'" according to the affidavit.

Jefferson, who represents New Orleans,



Jefferson

has not been charged and denies any wrongdoing.

As for the \$100,000, the government says Jefferson got the money in a leather briefcase last July 30 at the Ritz-Carlton hotel in Arlington. The plan was for the lawmaker to use the cash to bribe a high-ranking Nigerian official — the name is blacked out in the court document — to ensure the success of a business deal in that country, the affidavit said. (AP)

Re-Elected Nagin Seeks Unity in New Orleans



EMBRACED: New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin receives a hug from a supporter after attending church on Sunday. Nagin, who defeated Lt. Gov. Mitch Landrieu in Saturday's runoff election, pledged to mend ties with his opponents as he looked toward rebuilding the battered city. **Uniter:** Nagin: 'This is our shot.' | **Page 3**

RETALIATION | No Parking? No Drinking A bar owner in Torbay, England, got so fed up with traffic wardens — who, he said, are hurting business with their strict enforcement — that he banned them from all five pubs he owns in the town, the BBC re-



ported. All five bars have posted yellow notices, designed to look like parking tickets, in the windows telling wardens they are not permitted on the premises. "The council does not realize how fed up people are," Paul Thornton said. (EXPRESS) **EyeOpeners** | **Page 2**

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POLICE RAIDS

Stop! Step Away From the Sloppy Joe

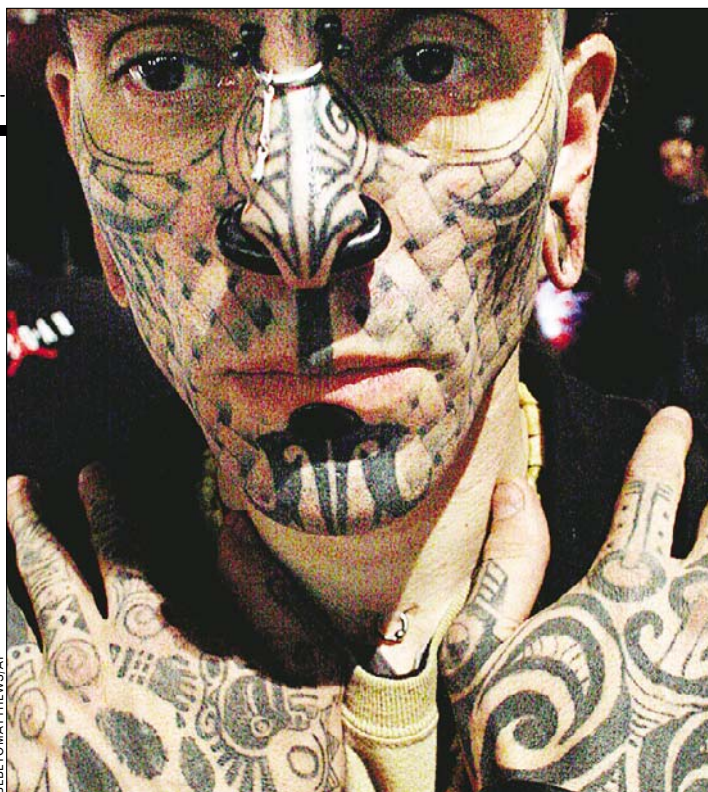
A Glendale, Ariz., high school student was arrested on charges of planning a food fight in the school cafeteria that never happened, the Arizona Republic reported. The food fight, which the student had talked about with others online—including naming certain school officials as intended targets—was supposed to happen Thursday, but officials moved in after they got word of the plot. Security was placed in the cafeteria for both Thursday and Friday; the junior was taken into custody and then placed in juvenile detention and he's now been suspended. The student's father said he didn't think the arrest was necessary. (EXPRESS)



BRAZENNESS

They'll Make the Charges Stick

While waiting for his friend to be processed on a drunken driving charge Friday at the Rotterdam, N.Y., police department, Adam Jewett picked up a gumball machine in the lobby and walked out the door with it, authorities say. A dispatcher watching the surveillance system saw Jewett, who had been riding in Zachary Peek's vehicle when it was stopped by an officer, carry away the gumball machine; the dispatcher told the officer processing Peek on the driving while intoxicated charge. Police found Jewett in the parking lot with the gumball machine. Jewett was charged with petit larceny. (AP)



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Globe Tatter

Michael Monkeymeat of New York showed his tattoos, which represent aspects of his life, at the 9th Annual New York City Tattoo Convention on Friday. Monkeymeat, who has traveled internationally to tattoo his body since he was 13, has had his right hand patterned in Native American symbols. He had his left hand tattooed in Mexico—a paw print was inked using the ashes of his dead dog. The convention, at the Roseland Ballroom in Times Square, ended Sunday. (AP)

REAL ESTATE

Holding Down The Fort's Price

A Civil War fort in Rouses Point, N.Y., is for sale on eBay. Fort Montgomery,

built in 1844, was manned from 1861 to 1865. "This is the first time it's been formally for sale," said Victor Podd, whose family owns the fort. The limestone fort sits on an island and is connected to the mainland by a 698-foot causeway.

The full package offered includes 6,899 square feet of lake frontage and 279 acres on the adjacent mainland. A few years ago, the state declined the Podd's offer to donate the fort and 69 acres of land for use as a state park. (AP)



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— John Edwards, on his chances of running for president again in 2008



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In Brief

FORT LEWIS, WASH.

Army Jury Convicts Soldier In Wife's Death, Mutilation

A soldier was convicted Saturday of murdering and mutilating his teenage wife, a Fort Lewis spokesman said. An Army jury found Spc. Brandon Bare, 20, of Wilkesboro, N.C., guilty of premeditated murder and two counts of indecent acts for chopping his wife to death with a meat cleaver and desecrating her corpse. After a five-day court martial, the jury deliberated about four hours Friday night before reaching the verdict shortly after midnight. (AP)

LOS ANGELES

3 Calif. Teens Burned in Accident With Aerosol Can

Three teenagers were burned Saturday, one critically, when an aerosol spray they were inhaling to become intoxicated burst into flames inside their car, authorities said. Two boys, aged 16 and 15, and a 15-year-old girl were in a parked car inhaling aerosol spray when one began smoking. The flame ignited the aerosol, resulting in a "fireball" inside the car, police said. The girl is listed in critical condition and has burns on more than 27 percent of her body. (AP)

Reporter Prosecution

→ Attorney General Alberto Gonzales said Sunday New York Times journalists could be prosecuted for printing classified information. | **Today, A Section**

IN The Washington Post

Nagin Pledges to Unite New Orleans

Big Easy mayor seeks to mend city's divides after slim re-election

NEW ORLEANS | Newly re-elected Mayor Ray Nagin immediately began trying to mend ties with political opponents and crucial leaders on Sunday as he looked ahead to another four years to oversee reconstruction of this major American city.

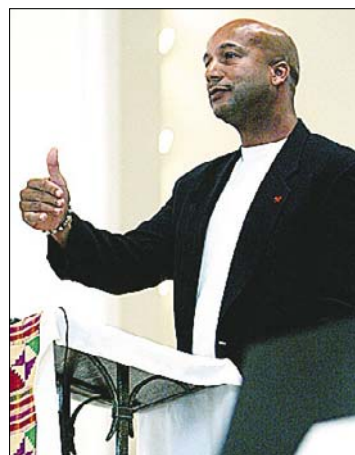
"We're going to bring this city together. It's my intention to reach out to every segment of this community," Nagin said a day after defeating Lt. Gov. Mitch Landrieu. "This

is our shot. This is our time."

Nagin said he reiterated his desire to work together in conversations with President Bush and Louisiana Gov. Kathleen Blanco.

The president called to congratulate Nagin and said he would rather finish rebuilding with the mayor because the two men had weathered Hurricane Katrina together, Nagin told fellow parishioners at St. Peter Claver Church.

Nagin said he pressed Bush to help accelerate the rebuilding and to help with the removal of tons of debris still littering neighborhoods. He also raised questions about the



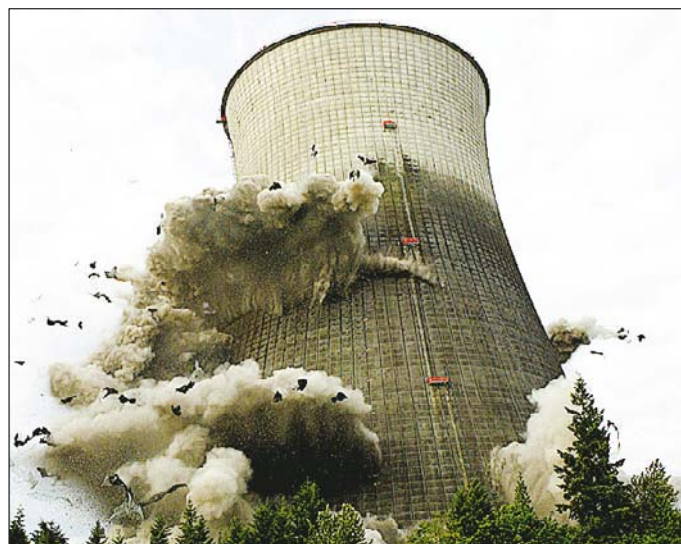
New Orleans Mayor Ray Nagin speaks at St. Peter Claver Church on Sunday.

pending end of federal aid for some evacuees still living in Houston and other cities.

Nagin said he plans to put together a commission, including some former political rivals, to decide on action in the next 100 days. Debris removal and housing will be top priorities.

Nagin, who beat Landrieu 52.3 percent to 47.7 percent, begins a second term May 31, a day before the start of hurricane season. Still staggering after Hurricane Katrina, many neighborhoods remain uninhabitable nine months after the storm. MICHELLE ROBERTS (AP)

OREGON | NUCLEAR IMPLOSION



KNOCKED DOWN: The decommissioned Trojan nuclear power plant cooling tower implodes near Rainier, Ore., on Sunday. The state's first and only nuclear power plant is the largest in the nation to be destroyed.

1 in 136 U.S. Residents In Jail, Report Finds

Changing prison roles partially accounts for increase in inmates

WASHINGTON | Prisons and jails added more than 1,000 inmates each week for a year, putting almost 2.2 million people, or one in every 136 U.S. residents, behind bars by last summer.

The total on June 30, 2005, was 56,428 more than at the same time in 2004, the government reported Sunday. That 2.6 percent increase from mid-2004 to mid-2005 translates into a weekly rise of

1,085 inmates.

Of particular note was the gain of 33,539 inmates in jails, the largest increase since 1997, researcher Allen J. Beck said. That was a 4.7 percent growth rate, compared with a 1.6 percent increase in people held in state and federal prisons.

Beck, the bureau's chief of corrections statistics, said the increase in the number of people in the 3,365 local jails is due partly to their changing role. Jails often hold inmates for state or federal systems, as well as people who have yet to begin serving a sentence.

ELIZABETH WHITE (AP)

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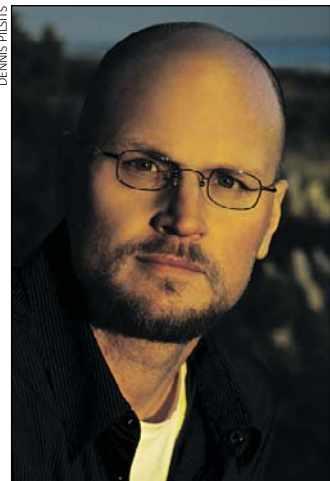
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Tues., May 23, 6:30 p.m.

Research specialist Chao-Hui Jenny Liu presents an armchair tour of China's largest museum. Completed in 1995, it contains premier Chinese bronzes, paintings, and calligraphy.

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SEMITIC MUSEUM, HARVARD UNIVERSITY

Miriam, Mary, and Mary Magdalene

Sat., June 3, 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Three outstanding scholars, Carol Meyers, Elizabeth Johnson, and Deirdre Good, focus on the many fascinating aspects of the Mary figures in the Bible.

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Understanding Abstract Expressionism

Tues., June 6, 6:30 p.m.

Enter the world of Pollack, de Kooning, Rothko and other artists of the period, as art critic Judy Pomeranz discusses the movement's rich art scene in mid-20th-century New York City.

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Fri., May 26, 6 p.m.
The Emerson String Quartet—one of the world's foremost chamber

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Natural History Museum
Gen. Admission \$61; Resident Members \$49

Northern Ireland: A Storied Land

Walking with Giants: A Trip around Northern Ireland

Mon., June 5, 6:30 p.m.

Breathtakingly unique, Northern Ireland's causeways and castles, walled towns and wall murals are a must see. Join Irish historian Janice Holmes for an illustrated armchair tour.

Ripley Center, Smithsonian
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Resident Members \$25



Craobh Rua

Thurs., June 29, 7:30 p.m.

Revel in the traditional Celtic sounds of the Northern Irish band Craobh Rua, as they bring to life an impressive array of instruments including fiddle, bouzouki, uilleann pipes, guitar, flute, and whistles.

American History Museum
Gen. Admission \$25; Resident Members \$15



The Northern Ireland programs are sponsored by Tourism Ireland. Visit www.ResidentAssociates.org to see more programs in this cluster.

Alberta: Canada's Majestic Frontier

Digging Dinosaurs in Canada

Mon., June 26, 6:30 p.m.



World-renowned paleontologist Philip Currie uses computer modeling to give us an idea of what dinosaurs looked like and how they may have lived.

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Thurs., June 22, 7 p.m.



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American History Museum
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SLEEP DEPRAVED: A N.Y. man was charged with burglary and criminal mischief last week after he allegedly broke into a funeral home and fell asleep in a coffin.

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5 Dead After La. Shootings

Police capture gunman accused of deadly spree that began at church

BATON ROUGE, LA. | A man opened fire Sunday morning at a church, fatally wounding four people before abducting his wife, whom he later shot to death at another location, authorities said.

The suspect, Anthony Bell, 25, of Baton Rouge, was captured at an apartment complex near the church. Three children abducted with the woman were all found safe.

"This is going to be one of the worst days in the history of our city," Police Chief Jeff Leduff said after Bell was captured and his wife's body was found at the complex.

Police did not identify the dead, but church member Kenneth Green who watched and wept from a nearby building as investigators examined evidence at the church, said he was related to all of the victims.



AFTERSHOCK: People gather in front of the Ministry of Jesus Christ church in Baton Rouge, La., Sunday, where a man opened fire, killing four people.

He said his mother, Deloris McGrew, his cousin, Darleen Mills, and his aunt and uncle, Gloria and Leonard Howard, were killed. He said he also is a cousin of Bell's slain wife, whom he identified as Erica

Bell. Green said he was not in the church at the time of the shooting.

Investigators did not know the motive for the shooting at The Ministry of Jesus Christ church.

DOUG SIMPSON (AP)

Tests: 3 Miners Likely Survived Shaft Blast

Officials: Poison gas partly to blame in 5 Ky. coal worker deaths

HOLMES MILL, KY. | Three of the five miners killed in an explosion in an eastern Kentucky coal mine likely survived the initial blast but died of carbon monoxide poisoning, a coroner said Sunday based on preliminary autopsy results.

The other two miners died from multiple blunt force trauma and heat injuries, probably because they were closer to the Saturday blast, Harlan County Coroner Philip Bianchi said.

The cause of the blast at the Darby Mine No. 1 in Harlan County remained under investigation. Pockets of methane gas inside still were a danger a day after the accident. Repairs were needed on the ventilation system so it would be safe for investigators to enter the



The Rev. Frank Howard prays for the miners at a church in Closplint, Ky.

mine Monday.

Roy Middleton, 35; George William Petra, 49; and Paris Thomas Jr., 53, survived the blast but were suffocated by the poisoned air, Bianchi said.

Bianchi said officials may be able to determine how long the three miners lived before they succumbed, but that would depend on their toxicology reports. SAMIRA JAFARI (AP)

2,000 Gallons of Oil Spilled Near Hawaii Coastline

HONOLULU | An oil tanker spilled up to 2,000 gallons of crude oil into the Pacific Ocean on Saturday morning, an official said.

The Coast Guard and the state Health Department categorized it as a minimal spill, said Nathan Hokama, spokesman for Tesoro Corp., which owns the tanker. There were no immediate reports of harm to wildlife.

The spill occurred about 1.5 miles off the coast of Oahu when a hose line pumping oil from the tanker to a floating buoy disconnected.

Crews from the Clean Islands Council and the Marine Spill Response Corporation helped with cleanup.

The light crude oil may have dissipated quickly because of strong sunshine and choppy waters, Hokama said.

Any potential fines would be assessed based on the results of an investigation, he said. (AP)

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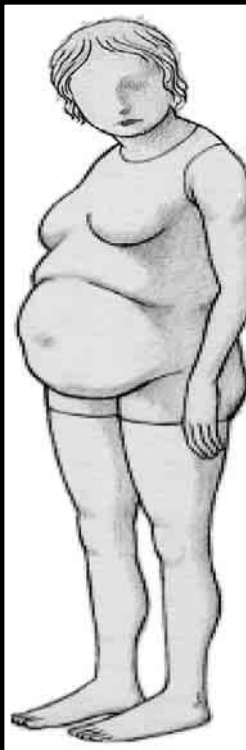
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World



COW CONSPIRACY? Cowpyright, a fiberglass cow on display as part of a public art exhibit in Portugal was stolen last week, news reports said. Cowpyright's theft happened on the same day that Fruit Smoothie, a painted cow on display in Scotland, also disappeared.

In Brief

CAIRO, EGYPT

At Least 60 Die in New Wave of Violence in Darfur

A new surge of interethnic and militia violence has killed at least 60 people in separate attacks in Darfur over the past few days, the African Union and the United Nations said Sunday. The killings came ahead of an expected visit by top U.N. envoy Lakhdar Brahimi, who is due in Khartoum next Tuesday. (AP)

KUWAIT CITY, KUWAIT

Ruler Dissolves Parliament Over Dispute, Calls for Vote

Kuwait's ruler dissolved parliament Sunday and called for early elections amid a dispute between the government and lawmakers over electoral reform. Sheik Sabah Al Ahmed Al Sabah ordered



Sheik Sabah

parliamentary elections held June 29. The government-backed bill aimed to reduce the number of electoral constituencies

from 25 to 10, but parliamentarians say the number should be cut to five to combat vote buying. (AP)

AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS

New Suspect Held in Disappearance of U.S. Teen

Dutch police are holding a suspect on suspicion of murder in the disappearance of U.S. teenager Natalee Holloway in Aruba, the suspect's lawyer said Sunday. Gerard Spong said his client, whose name was not disclosed, was suspected of "assisting in the murder, battery and kidnapping of Natalee Holloway." (AP)

KABUL, AFGHANISTAN

Car Bomb Brings Death Toll From New Fighting Past 190

A car bomb possibly targeting a convoy of coalition soldiers killed three people in the Afghan capital Sunday, while officials added more than 30 troops and Taliban militants to the toll of those killed over the last few days. The additional deaths, which include one coalition, brought the toll to more than 190 people since Wednesday, when a storm of violence broke out in the south. (AP)

Iraqi PM Vows to Combat Violence

After Al-Maliki holds first Cabinet meeting, suicide bomber kills 13

BAGHDAD, IRAQ | Iraq's new prime minister promised Sunday to use "maximum force" if necessary to end the brutal insurgent and sectarian violence wracking the country, while a suicide bomber killed more than a dozen people at a restaurant in downtown Baghdad.

Although he focused on the need to end bloodshed, Nouri al-Maliki also had to address unfinished political negotiations at a Cabinet meeting on the government's first full day in office.

Al-Maliki said the appointment of chiefs for the key Defense and Interior ministries should not "take more than two or three days." He is seeking candidates who are independent and have no ties to Iraq's myriad armed groups.

The two ministries, which oversee the army and the police,



BLAST AFTERMATH: A plainclothes Iraqi police officer inspects the scene where a suicide bomber killed at least 13 people in a busy Baghdad restaurant on Sunday.

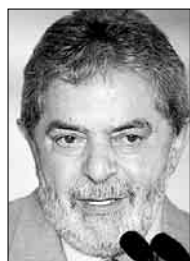
are crucial for restoring stability, and al-Maliki needs to find candidates with wide acceptance from his broad-based governing coalition of Shiites, Sunni Arabs and Kurds.

Shortly after the first Cabinet meeting, a suicide bomber killed at least 13 people and wounded 17 by blowing himself up among filled lunch tables in a downtown Baghdad restaurant popular with police officers. Three of the dead were policemen.

The attack at the Safar restaurant was part of a spree of bombing that killed at least 19 Iraqis and wounded dozens Sunday.

One bomb attack hit a busy fruit market in New Baghdad, a mixed Shiite, Sunni Arab and Christian area in an eastern part of the capital. Police found one bomb and detonated it after trying to evacuate the market, but a second, undiscovered bomb exploded moments later, killing three civilians and wounding 23. PATRICK QUINN (AP)

HEARSAY | BRAZIL'S STREET BATTLES



"This problem of violence is cultural and needs a lot more than police. ... Why are the bandits free to do what they want and we don't have control?"

—BRAZILIAN PRESIDENT LUIZ INACIO LULA DA SILVA
DISCUSSING THE RECENT WAVE OF GANG-RELATED VIOLENCE THAT HAS GRIPPED SAO PAULO, BRAZIL, LEAVING SOME 172 PEOPLE DEAD

Montenegro Vote To Decide Fate of Split From Serbia

PODGORICA, SERBIA-MONTENEGRO | Independence backers celebrated in the streets Sunday after an unofficial group monitoring a referendum predicted victory for Montenegro voters favoring secession from much larger Serbia.

But tensions rose as the anti-independence faction refused to concede defeat, urging their opponents to return to their homes.

Official returns from a referendum asking voters if they wanted to break away from Serbia will be released only on Monday, the head of the state electoral commission, Frantisek Lipka, said.

Montenegrins turned out in record numbers to decide whether to stay in their troubled union with Serbia or become independent.

The division between anti- and pro-independence groups is deeply rooted in the small nation's history, and some feared there could be violence whatever the outcome. The Serbia-Montenegro union is the last shred of the federation of Yugoslavia that began its blood-drenched breakup in the early 1990s. (AP)

Key Israeli, Palestinian Leaders Hold Meeting

SHARM EL-SHEIK, EGYPT | Palestinian and Israeli leaders Sunday held their first high-level meeting since the militant Hamas organization swept to power, and moderate President Mahmoud Abbas voiced deep concern over rising tension with the militants linked to assassination attempts on two of his top security aides.

Abbas said he would open talks with Hamas on Thursday in a bid to end the power struggle between Palestinian factions that threatens the Gaza Strip with civil war.

Emerging from a meeting with Israeli Foreign Minister Tzipi Livni on the sidelines of the World Economic Forum, Abbas said a further explosion of violence between his mainstream Fatah and the militant Islamic Hamas was a "red line that nobody dares cross, no matter which side they are on. ... Civil war is forbidden."



Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas, center, talks to reporters in Egypt.

Turning to attempts to restart talks with Israel, Abbas appealed to Livni to restore regular contacts between the two sides, and Livni assured Abbas that Israel still remained committed to the internationally-backed "road map" peace plan. They also discussed plans for Abbas and Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Olmert to meet soon.

"It was a very good meeting, a very important meeting and the first of many," Livni said. (AP)

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Malvo Expected to Testify

Teenage sniper said to be prepared to speak against Muhammad

ROCKVILLE, MD. | Since his October 2002 arrest, Lee Boyd Malvo has vacillated between anger at his accomplice in the sniper spree that left 10 people dead and loyalty to the man who accepted him as a son and allegedly brainwashed him into a killing machine.

This week, Malvo will give the world an account of where he stands when he is expected to testify for prosecutors against John Allen Muhammad, the man who molded him into a ruthless 17-year-old sniper.

Muhammad, already convicted of a sniper spree killing in Virginia and sentenced to death, is on trial now for the six homicides that occurred in Montgomery County during the three-week rampage

that terrorized the Washington area. Malvo was also convicted of a sniper killing in Virginia. He was sentenced to life in prison.

A person close to the case said Malvo is expected to plead guilty to the Maryland charges against him and testify for prosecutors.

Malvo's testimony, which could come as early as Monday, will be particularly compelling because no one knows exactly what he will say.

MATTHEW BARAKAT (AP)

IN The Washington Post | FOR THE FALLEN



MEDAL OF HONOR: Donald Eacho, 7, holds a medal for his father at "A Time of Remembrance," a tribute to military families at the National Mall Sunday. Relatives of soldiers killed in battle attended. | **Inside Metro**

New Duncan Ads Go After Opponents

WASHINGTON | Montgomery County Executive Doug Duncan says his television advertisement campaign has his two opponents "running away from their records."

Duncan said Sunday the ads focus on the records of Baltimore Mayor Martin O'Malley and Governor Robert Ehrlich because they "haven't achieved anything of

real significance for the people."

The Duncan campaign released two new TV ads in the Baltimore area yesterday, featuring O'Malley and Ehrlich as life-size cardboard cutouts in the 15-second spots.

Other ads have challenged O'Malley's performance on crime in Baltimore and Ehrlich's stance on assault weapons. (AP)

Interchange Work Back On Track

Construction takes a one-day break in Va.'s 'Mixing Bowl'

SPRINGFIELD, VA. | Drivers headed through the Springfield Interchange got a break Sunday.

The Virginia Department of Transportation said no work was done Sunday, after work in the Mixing Bowl took hours longer than expected on Saturday.

Workers spent most of Saturday trying to hoist bridge beams into place above the ramp to the inner loop — work that officials had hoped would be finished by that morning.

All four beams are now in place and the ramp between Interstate-395 and the inner loop of the Beltway was open.

The department said that night work that's supposed to take place this week Monday through Thursday will happen as scheduled between 9:30 p.m. through 5 a.m. (AP)

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Sports



IS THAT DUNG JEWELRY CONFLICT-FREE? A northern Alberta Cree leader is donating a necklace made out of lacquered deer and moose droppings, which he says will bring good luck to whomever wears it, to the Edmonton Oilers to aid their quest for the Stanley Cup.

Barbaro Undergoes Surgery

Doctor says favored horse is fighting for his life after leg break

HORSE RACING | Kentucky Derby winner Barbaro was in surgery Sunday fighting for his life a day after breaking his right rear leg in three places at the Preakness, and the colt's surgeon said he's never worked on so many catastrophic injuries to one horse.

Dr. Dean Richardson was operating at the University of Pennsylvania's New Bolton Center for Large Animals and said the procedure could take several hours.

"It's about as bad as it could be," he added.

Corinne Sweeney, the executive hospital director, said the horse was still in surgery about five hours after it began but that the procedure was near completion.

Barbaro sustained "life-threatening injuries" after breaking bones above and below his right rear ankle at the start of the Preakness Stakes. Bernardini won the \$1 million race, beating Sweetnorthernstain by 5 1-4 lengths. **RICHARD ROSENBLATT (AP)**



Detroit's Tayshaun Prince backs down LeBron "King" James during the Pistons' 79-61 win in Game 7 of the Eastern semifinals.

Pistons Knock Out James

Detroit holds LeBron to just 6 second-half points in elimination

NBA PLAYOFFS | LeBron James made things rough for the Detroit Pistons. In the end, the two-time defending Eastern Conference champions got it right.

Coming back from a 3-2 defi-

cit, Detroit eliminated James and the Cleveland Cavaliers with a 79-61 win Sunday in Game 7 of their second-round series.

"Our slogan is, 'If it ain't rough, it ain't right,'" Richard Hamilton said. "So it was rough for us, and we got the win. Now we're looking forward to the next series."

James was often sensational throughout the series, but ultimately,

the 21-year-old phenom could not help his team overcome Detroit's defense, experience and home-court advantage. The Pistons held Cleveland to the lowest-point total in a Game 7, and to its worst quarter offensively in franchise playoff history (10 points in the third). James had 21 points at halftime, but finished with just 27. And the Cavs scored just 23 in the second half. **(AP)**

In Brief

HOCKEY

Sweden's 4-0 Shutout Gives Country First Ever 'Double'

Sweden shut out defending champion Czech Republic 4-0 Sunday to win the World Ice Hockey Championship and complete a unique double three months after capturing Olympic gold. It was the eighth world title for Sweden, which had eight Olympic champions on its roster. In the Winter Olympics, Sweden beat Nordic rival Finland in the final. No team had managed the elusive double in international hockey. **(AP)**

PGA

In Playoff, Herron Picks Up First Win of the Millennium

Tim Herron wanted to treat the final round of the Colonial as if he were a member playing a casual round. And so, the player affectionally known as "Lumpy" won on the PGA Tour for the first time in seven years. He beat Richard Johnson with a birdie on the second hole of a playoff, the first time since 1994 extra holes were needed at Hogan's Alley. It was Herron's first win since 1999. **(AP)**



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FIRST THING'S FIRST: For the first time, Sam Hornish Jr. will start at the pole at the Indy 500. Last year, Hornish started second and led for 77 laps before crashing.

Sports



Livan Hernandez pitched seven innings of one-hit ball, and the Nationals capped off their series against Baltimore with a win.

Nats Take Beltway Series

Behind strong outing from ace Hernandez, Washington wins, 3-1

Nationals | Pitching in and out of trouble, exhorting his teammates in the field and on the basepaths, Livan Hernandez snapped a seven-start winless streak Sunday, leading the Washington Nationals over the Baltimore Orioles 3-1.

Hernandez (2-5) limited

Baltimore to one run in seven innings, despite giving up four walks and six hits, though all were singles. He hadn't earned a victory since April 8 at Houston, his second start of the season; Hernandez's last drought that long came in 1999.

The burly right-hander helped himself by driving in a run with a sacrifice bunt in the fourth, when Washington scored twice off Orioles starter Bruce Chen (0-5). After three consecutive singles

pushed across one run, Hernandez reached up to connect with a high pitch, and as he ran to first, he extended his left arm and wagged his hand toward the runner on third, Marlon Byrd, to encourage him to reach home.

Chen gave up three runs and seven hits over four innings.

On the mound, per his usual even when the going's good, Hernandez repeatedly found himself in jams. At least two men reached base in

Wells Rips Bonds After Record HR

BASEBALL | Count David Wells among those unimpressed by Barry Bonds' move up the all-time home run list.

The outspoken Boston pitcher had harsh words for Bonds, who tied Babe Ruth for second all-time with his 714th home run Saturday. The San Francisco slugger has come under intense scrutiny because of alleged steroid use.

"He's hit a few home runs off me while he was juiced. Look at him, the man is enormous," Wells said Saturday. "Still, he's a hell of a ballplayer. He's got to deal with it, not me."



Giants' Barry Bonds hit his 714th career home run on Saturday, tying Babe Ruth.

A grand jury in San Francisco is investigating whether perjury charges are warranted for Bonds' earlier testimony that he used designer performance-enhancing drugs known as "the clear" and "the cream" but thought they were flaxseed oil and an arthritis rub.

"I think that's a crock," Wells said. **ROB MAADDI (AP)**

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

NATIONALS (7 P.M. ON MASN) Craig Biggio and the Astros come to town sans Roger Clemens for the first in a four-game series with the Nats.

BASEBALL (7 P.M. ON ESPN) Rivalry week is over. So clubs can go back to playing teams in their division, meaning the Yankees play the Red Sox.

NBA PLAYOFFS (8 P.M. ON TNT, AND 10:30 P.M. ON TNT) Someone is going home. It's Dallas at San Antonio and L.A. Clippers at Phoenix in two do-or-die Game 7's.

NHL PLAYOFFS (7:30 P.M. ON OLN) Buffalo has a 1-0 series lead heading into Game 2 against Carolina.

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"No way. I hate that guy."

—Tyler Snyder, who caught Barry Bonds' 714th career home run, on whether he would give the ball to Bonds.

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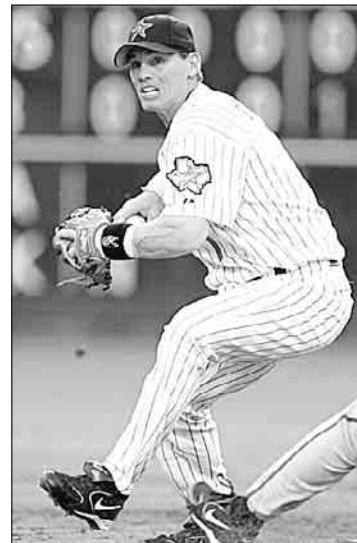
40-year-old Craig Biggio still manages to do all the little things

NATIONALS | The talk surrounding the Houston Astros this season has been of a player who is not even on the roster. Will Roger Clemens come back?

It's sure to come up this week when the Astros visit RFK Stadium for a four-game series against the Nationals.

But lost in all the talk about the mercenary right-hander is the man who has always been there. Since his first day in the major leagues in 1988, Craig Biggio has donned a Houston Astros uniform. Biggio played for 18 seasons and a major-league record 2,564 games before reaching his first World Series in 2005.

Though surely tempted, he never seriously tested the free agent waters, never skipped town for a bigger contract or a brighter spotlight.



After switching positions, Craig Biggio won four Gold Gloves at second base.

The New Jersey native has become a Texan, and no matter where Clemens ends up, Biggio is Mr. Astro. He's earned it. A career .285 hitter, Biggio needs fewer than 160 hits to reach 3,000. And he's not slowing down. In 2005, at age

39, the unassuming 5-foot-11, 185-pounder hit a career-high 26 home runs. Now, at 40, he's hitting above his career batting average.

"I never would have thought in my wildest dreams I'd be as close as I am to 3,000," Biggio told MLB.com earlier this month. "I hope it happens, not just for me and my family, but for the game of baseball and the people of Houston."

While Alfonso Soriano grumbled about switching positions this spring, he should have considered the path taken by Biggio. He came up as a catcher and became an All-Star. But at a manager's suggestion, he moved to second base then the outfield. Everywhere he's excelled. He's got four Gold Gloves — all as a second baseman — to prove it.

Nationals manager Frank Robinson has bemoaned the fact that his players often don't do the little things it takes to be a success. This week, he might be inclined to urge his players to pay attention to Biggio. **DEREK TURNER**

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Entertainment

White Stripes Aside

Jack White's latest band, the Raconteurs, is no side show

MUSIC | Given that Jack White is the creative force behind the White Stripes and has left his musical imprint on a host of other projects, it would seem safe to assume that his new creation — the Raconteurs — is yet another White-dominated outlet meant to occupy the rocker's time between Stripes albums.

For White, sitting with the rest of his new band — rocker Brendan Benson and the Greenhornes' Jack Lawrence and Patrick Keeler — it's an assumption that he has come to expect, and a frustrating one.

"The only way to defeat that is to play live in front of everyone," says White.

"If that doesn't work, we'll all wear the same thing and the same haircuts," Benson deadpans.



AUTUMN DE WILDE

FUNNY STORY: Jack White and the Raconteurs want the world to know they're a real band, not just a space-saver until the next White Stripes' album is due.

Chances are the band won't need to buy matching suits. Besides watching the band live, fans can listen to its debut album, "Broken Boy Soldiers," to hear collective input of

all four members.

Initially, there had been no concrete plans for a quartet — or a band period. Benson and White, longtime friends, were simply col-

laborating with each other when they sensed something greater in the making.

It didn't take long for them to create the album, recorded in Benson's sweltering attic during one summer. But the foursome's individual commitments postponed their plans to become a united band. At one point, Benson even wondered if he was making a mistake. But, he says, "It was an opportunity that I couldn't pass up."

It's a sentiment that the rest of his bandmates share. While they could have just made a record and done select performances, the group is embarking on a summer tour.

And while fans of the Stripes, Benson or the Greenhornes don't have reason to worry — all say they are committed to their respective careers outside of the Raconteurs — the foursome is eager to create a fan base of their own. **NEKESA MUMBI MOODY (AP)**

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The Horror & Glory

Library of Congress' Margaret E. Wagner pictures the Civil War

PHOTO BOOKS | Out of ammunition and fleeing enemy fire at the Battle of Gettysburg, 19-year-old Union Sgt. Warren H. Freeman came on a big, badly wounded Confederate officer who asked to be dragged to shelter from the fire of his own side. "I declined for want of time and strength to lift him," Freeman wrote a few days later in a letter home.

Then the officer asked Freeman to take his handkerchief and wipe the sweat from around his eyes. Freeman, still under fire, did.

Freeman survived Gettysburg. It



COLLECTED, FADED MEMORIES: Pictured above are officers of the 114th Pennsylvania infantry playing a game of cards in Petersburg, Va., in August of 1864.

was his ninth battle, from the second Battle of Bull Run in Virginia in 1862 to the struggle for Richmond near the end of the war.

His accounts made him the

favorite Civil War chronicler for Margaret E. Wagner, a senior writer and editor at the Library of Congress. Wagner's new volume, "The American Civil War:

365 Days," has nearly 500 photographs, lithographs, paintings, drawings and cartoons from the library's keeping.

The pictures in Wagner's book do not spare the sensibilities of viewers: A body, disemboweled by a shell, lies in the field at Gettysburg. Bodies are piled in a heap at Corinth, Miss., after a vain attempt by Confederates to regain a railroad hub they had evacuated. A row of skulls rests atop body parts unearthed at Cold Harbor, Va.

Wagner was the co-author and co-editor of "The Library of Congress Civil War Desk Reference" in 2002. Her book is published jointly by the library and Harry N. Abrams Inc. **CARL HARTMAN (AP)**

Today's Top Stops

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Shortstack & Revival: Reviving Country, Spelling

2 Shortstack and Revival are both very good, country-influenced D.C. bands on Gypsy Eyes Records. Gypsy honcho Nick Pimentel runs the Warehouse Next Door, so it makes perfect sense that these acts, who just played the prestigious 9:30 Club, would play a free spelling bee (seriously) at the tiny Warehouse — note, not the Warehouse Next Door, but the Warehouse, which is next door.

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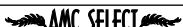


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SCARY MOVIE 4 (PG13) 5:40, 10:10
THE WILD (G) 1:05, 3:30



GOAL! THE DREAM BEGINS (PG) 1:40, 4:20
AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 2:30, 5:30, 8:30, 10:30

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WAH-WAH (R) 1:20, 4:50, 7:50, 10:00
ART SCHOOL CONFIDENTIAL (R) 1:40, 4:10, 7:10, 9:20
THE LOST CITY (R) 1:00, 4:20, 7:20, 10:10
WATER (PG13) 1:10, 3:40, 7:30, 9:50
FRIENDS WITH MONEY (R) 1:30, 3:30, 7:30, 9:30
KINKY BOOTS (PG13) 2:00, 4:40, 7:40, 9:50
THANK YOU FOR SMOKING (R) 1:50, 4:30, 7:00, 9:10

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AMC COLUMBIA MALL 14

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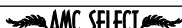


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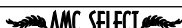
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LOEWS WHEATON PLAZA 11

Viers Mill Rd. Btwn. Georgia & University
901-949-9202 746

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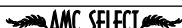


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AKEELAH AND THE BEE (PG) 4:20, 7:20, 9:45

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1350 19th St.
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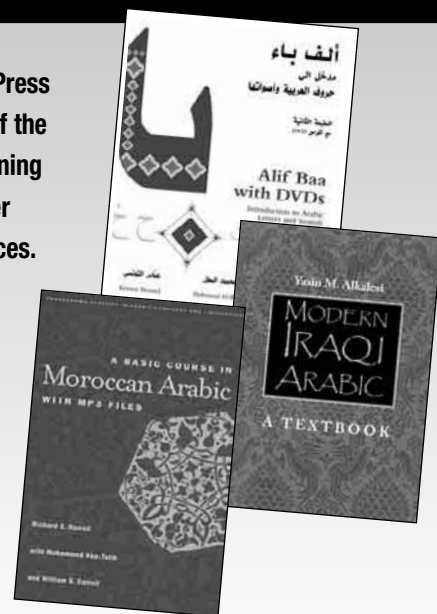
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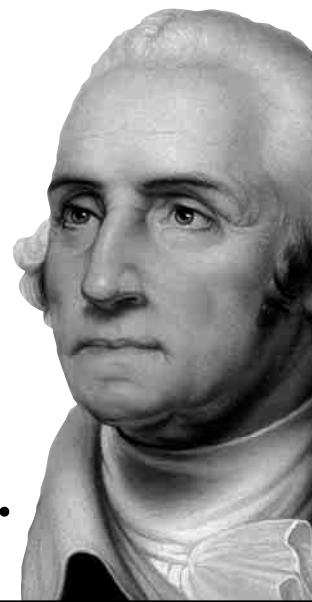
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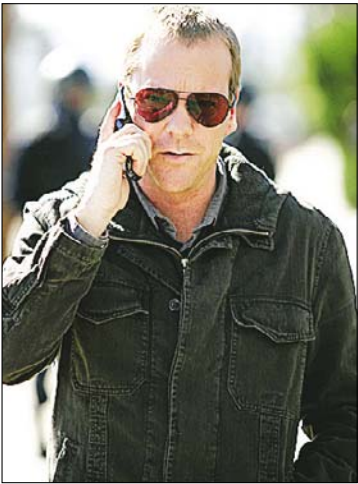


LAUGH AT ME: Comedian and soon to be late-night television's reigning king – when he takes over the “Tonight” show from host Jay Leno in 2009 – Conan O'Brien will host the “58th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards” airing August 27th on NBC.

Winding Down

Dramatic deaths mark fifth season's finale of Fox's '24'

FASTER JACK, FASTER | The addictive comic-book action series “24” (9 p.m., Fox) ends its fifth “day” at the office. This season, arguably the show's best, has taken a particularly grim toll on the cast. We've seen CTU regulars Edgar Stiles, Tony Almeida and Michelle Dessler die under violent circumstances and who can forget that the day began with President Palmer's assassination? Season five will also be remem-



Agent Jack Bauer (Keifer Sutherland) plots how to save the world.

bered for Gregory Itzin's evocation of the sneaky and physically awkward President Logan. And, of course, we'll remember Jean Smart as the pill-popping, gun-slinging first lady. While always entertaining, “24” features plot holes large enough to sink a Humvee. Once Jack had the coveted recording of Logan's transgression, why didn't he download it onto his voicemail? Play it for Karen Hayes? Leak it to the Drudge Report? What happened to Jack's love interest from the first hour or two? Will her surly son re-enter the picture? And what about Kim and her unctuous, much-older boyfriend? Jack's got some loose ends to tie up. And there are only two hours left! KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

ON TV TONIGHT

PARTNER IN CRIME
Kenneth Branagh narrates “**THE MAN BEHIND HITLER**” on “**AMERICAN EXPERIENCE**” (9 p.m., PBS). This chilling, engrossing film relies entirely on passages from the personal diaries of Joseph Goebbels, Adolf Hitler's longtime colleague and the Nazi minister of propaganda. Combined with footage of the Nazi party's rise and fall, “Man” offers a very personal survey history of the Hitler era. It also chronicles Goebbel's use of media to sell the Nazi message to the German people.

SEX, LIES & HEAVY METAL
“**HEAVY: THE STORY OF METAL**” (9 p.m., VH1, nightly through Thursday) explores four decades of music over four hours. Tonight's hour begins with Black Sabbath in the slums of Birmingham,



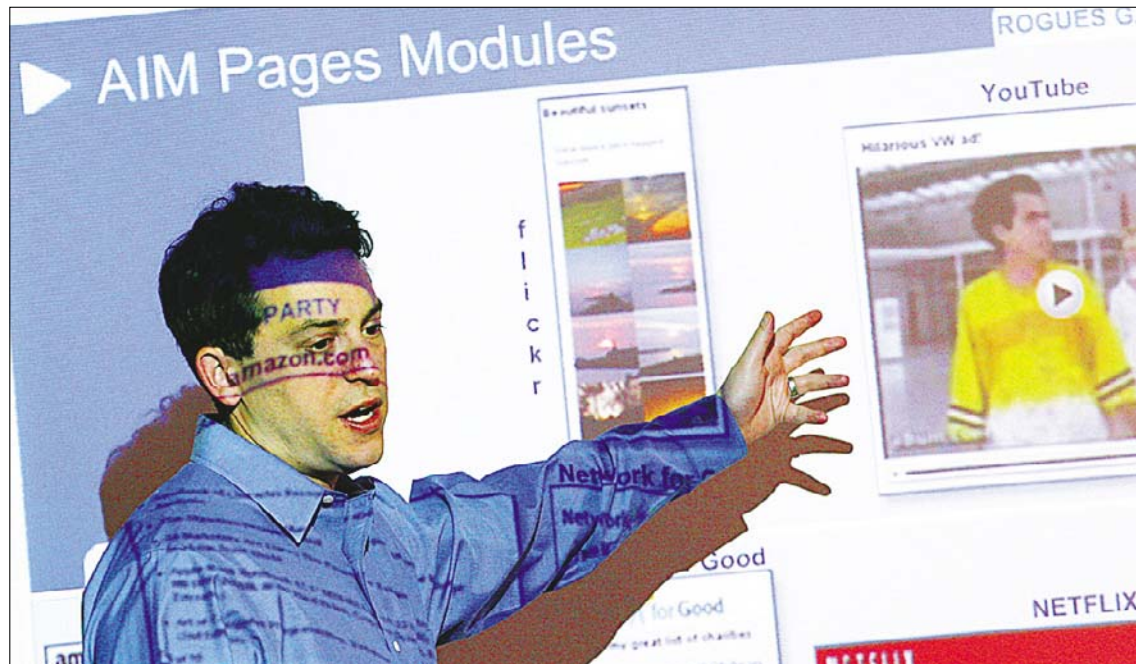
Nazi minister of propaganda Joseph Goebbels feeds poison to the people.

England. The documentary offers equal parts hedonism and theorizing.

CULT CHOICE
Director Orson Welles surveys famous art forgeries in the 1973 documentary “**F IS FOR FAKE**” (9:30 p.m., TCM). KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

5.22.06	6:00 PM	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
LOCAL CHANNELS	WRC 4 News	The Simpsons	NBC Nightly News	Access Hollywood	Deal or No Deal (iTV) (N) Ⓢ		(01) The Apprentice (N) Ⓢ		Medium "Twice Upon a Time" Ⓢ		News	Tonight Show
	WTTG 5 Seinfeld Ⓢ	The Simpsons Ⓢ	The Simpsons Ⓢ	Seinfeld Ⓢ	24 (Season Finale) Jack tries to avenge the loss of innocent lives. (N) Ⓢ		Alias "Reprisal/All the Time in the World" (Series Finale) (N) Ⓢ		News		Geraldo at Large	Friends Ⓢ
	WJLA 7 News	ABC Wild News	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy! (N)	Oprah Winfrey's Legends Ball (N) Ⓢ		Two/Half Men	Old Christine	CSI: Miami "One of Our Own" Ⓢ		News	(35) Nightline
	WUSA 9 News	CBS News	9News Tonight	Ent. Tonight	King of Queens	Old Christine	Two/Half Men	Old Christine	CSI: Miami "One of Our Own" Ⓢ		News	Late Show
	WDCA 20 That '70s Show	That '70s Show	Friends Ⓢ	Every-Raymond	One on One Ⓢ	All of Us	Girlfriends	Half & Half	The Tyra Banks Show (N) Ⓢ		Girlfriends	Girlfriends
	WMPT 22 The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	Business Rpt.	Direct Connection	Antiques Roadshow "Providence, RI"	Antiques Roadshow "Providence, RI"		American Experience "The Man Behind Hitler" (N) Ⓢ		Secrets of the Dead Ⓢ		Direct Connection	Direct Connection
	WETA 26 BBC World News	Business Rpt.	The NewsHour With Jim Lehrer (N)	Antiques Roadshow "Providence, RI"	Antiques Roadshow "Providence, RI"		American Experience "The Man Behind Hitler" (N) Ⓢ		Secrets of the Dead Ⓢ		Charlie Rose (N) Ⓢ	Charlie Rose (N)
	WHUT 32 Moneytrack	Tavis Smiley Ⓢ	BBC World News	Moneywise	American Masters "Lon Chaney: A Thousand Faces" Ⓢ		Marcia Adams		BBC World News	Tavis Smiley Ⓢ	Charlie Rose (N) Ⓢ	Charlie Rose (N)
	WDCW 50 Steve Harvey	The Parkers Ⓢ	My Wife and Kids	Bernie Mac	7th Heaven "Turkey" Ⓢ		Everwood "Reckoning" (N) Ⓢ		Bernie Mac	My Wife and Kids	Sex and the City	Will & Grace Ⓢ
BASIC CABLE	A&E American Justice: Appalachia	Cold Case Files Ⓢ		The First 48 Uncooperative witness.	MovieReal "The Da Vinci Code"		Illuminating Angels & Demons Differentiating fact from fiction. Ⓢ					
	Animal The Crocodile Hunter Diaries Ⓢ	The Most Extreme "Bloodsuckers"		Animal Precinct "Big Heart" Ⓢ	Miami Animal Police "Hoarder Raid"		Animal Cops San Francisco Ⓢ		Animal Precinct "Big Heart" Ⓢ			
	BET 106 & Park: BET's Top 10 Live Ⓢ		BET.com Count	★ ★ "Civil Brand" (2002, Drama) Mos Def, N'Bushe Wright. Ⓢ			The Parkers Ⓢ		The Parkers Ⓢ		Jamie Foxx	Jamie Foxx
	Bravo Faith Hill: Fireflies Ⓢ	The West Wing "Bad Moon Rising"		Elton John: Red Piano Ⓢ	Eagles Farewell I Tour The band performs. Ⓢ		Elton John: Red Piano Ⓢ		Elton John: Red Piano Ⓢ			
	Comedy ★ "Saving Silverman" (2001, Comedy) Jason Biggs, Steve Zahn. Ⓢ			Daily Show	Colbert Report		Mind of Mencia	South Park Ⓢ	Mind of Mencia	David Spade	Daily Show	Colbert Report
	Court NYPD Blue "Emission Accomplished"	Cops Ⓢ	Cops Ⓢ	Riots: Mobs Out of Control	Forensic Files	North Mission	Dunne: Power, Privilege & Justice		The Investigators "Evil Eyes"			
	Discovery Cash Cab Ⓢ	Cash Cab Ⓢ	Monster Garage "Milk Bomb" Ⓢ	Monster Garage "Crop Circler" Ⓢ	American Chopper Ⓢ		Monster Garage "Milk Bomb"		My Skin Could Kill Me			
	DISCH Paramedics "A Sinister Turn" Ⓢ	Trauma: Life in the ER Ⓢ		My Skin Could Kill Me	Medical Incredible "Baby No Skin"		Mystery Diagnosis Ⓢ		My Skin Could Kill Me			
	Disney That's So Raven	Zack & Cody	Phil of the Future	That's So Raven	"Life Is Ruff" (2005) Kyle Massey. A teenage slacker adopts a stray dog.		Naturally, Sadie	Even Stevens	Zack & Cody	That's So Raven		
	E! Heartthrobs	The Soup	E! News (N)	The Daily 10 (N)	Hugh Hefner: The E! True Hollywood Story		Dr. 90210 "Tattoos and Twins"		Saturday Night Live Ⓢ			
	FX King of the Hill Ⓢ	King of the Hill Ⓢ	That '70s Show	That '70s Show	★ ★ "Ice Age" (2002, Comedy) Voices of Ray Romano, John Leguizamo, Denis Leary.		That '70s Show		★ ★ Ice Age			
	HGTV Renovation	Wknd Warriors	Curb Appeal	House Hunters	Cash in the Attic	Cash in the Attic	Extreme Homes	House Hunters	House Hunters	Designed to Sell	Design on a Dime	Double Take
	Family 7th Heaven "Gratitude" Ⓢ		7th Heaven "Wayne's World" Ⓢ	★ ★ "The Goonies" (1985) Sean Astin. Young misfits find a 17th-century pirate's treasure map.			Whose Line?		The 700 Club			
	History Battle History of the Navy	Modern Marvels: Harvesting Ⓢ		UFO Files: Alien Engineering Ⓢ	Truth: America's Pyramids		Underwater Train Wreck		Modern Marvels: B-2 Bomber Ⓢ			
	Lifetime The Golden Girls	The Golden Girls	"A Long Way Home" (2001, Drama) Meredith Baxter, Robert Ulrich. Ⓢ	"The Perfect Marriage" (2006) Jamie Luner, William R. Moses. Premiere. Ⓢ			Will & Grace Ⓢ		Will & Grace Ⓢ			
	MTV Yo Momma Ⓢ	Parental Control	Direct Effect Ⓢ	Punk'd Ⓢ	Punk'd Ⓢ		Punk'd Ⓢ		Real World-Rd		Real World Ⓢ	The Real World
	NICK Ned's School	Danny Phantom	Fairly OddParents	Jimmy Neutron	SpongeBob	Unfabulous Ⓢ	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince	Fresh Prince
	SCI FI Stargate SG-1 "Proving Ground" Ⓢ	Stargate SG-1 "Nemesis" Ⓢ		Stargate SG-1 "Small Victories" Ⓢ	Stargate SG-1 "Redemption" Ⓢ		Stargate SG-1 "Redemption" Ⓢ		★ ★ "John Carpenter's Body Bags"			
	SPIKE World's Wildest Police Videos Ⓢ	CSI: Crime Scene Investigation Ⓢ		CSI: Crime Scene Investigation Ⓢ	UFC 60 Countdown		The Ultimate Fighter Ⓢ					
	TBS Seinfeld Ⓢ	Seinfeld Ⓢ	Every-Raymond	Every-Raymond	Friends Ⓢ	Friends Ⓢ	Friends Ⓢ	Friends Ⓢ	Family Guy Ⓢ	Family Guy Ⓢ	Seinfeld Ⓢ	In the Army Now
	TLC While You Were Out	Jamie's School Lunch Project (N)		16 Children and Moving In Ⓢ	Honey We're Killing the Kids (N)		Shalom in the Home "The Sterlings"		Honey We're Killing the Kids Ⓢ			
	TNT Charmed "It's a Bad, Bad World"	Law & Order "Blood" Ⓢ (DVS)		NBA Basketball Playoffs -- Teams TBA. (Live) Ⓢ	WWE Monday Night Raw (S Live) Ⓢ		Inside the NBA (Live) Ⓢ		(07) Law & Order: Criminal Intent Ⓢ			The X-Files Ⓢ
	USA (5:00) ★ ★ "In Hell" (2003) Ⓢ	Law & Order: Criminal Intent Ⓢ		Law & Order: Special Victims Unit Ⓢ								
	VH1 100 Greatest Artists of Hard Rock Ⓢ	100 Greatest Artists of Hard Rock Ⓢ		100 Greatest Artists of Hard Rock Ⓢ								
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	UNIV Que Locura	Noticiero Univ	Peregrina (N)	La Fea Más Bella (N)	Barrera de Amor (N)		Cristina Joan Sebastian.		Primer Impacto		Noticiero Univ.	
SPORTS	ESPN SportsCenter (Live) Ⓢ	MLB Baseball New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox. From Fenway Park in Boston. (Subject to Blackout) Ⓢ		Baseball Tonight (Live)			SportsCenter (Live) Ⓢ					
	ESPN2 Mike and Mike	Around the Horn	Obstacle Course	Obstacle Course	Paintball U.S. Championships.		Paintball U.S. Championships. (N)		Quite Frankly With Stephen A. Smith			
	CSN Poker -- Learn	SportsNite Ⓢ	College Baseball Miami at Georgia Tech.		SportsNite (Live) Ⓢ		AFL Weekly		Best-Sports			
NEWS	CNN Lou Dobbs Tonight Ⓢ	The Situation Room	Paula Zahn Now Ⓢ	Larry King Live Ⓢ			Anderson Cooper 360 Ⓢ					
	FNC Special Report (Live) Ⓢ	The Fox Report With Shepard Smith	The O'Reilly Factor (Live) Ⓢ	Hannity & Colmes (Live) Ⓢ			On the Record-Van Susteren		The O'Reilly Factor			
	MSNBC The Abrams Report	Hardball Ⓢ	Countdown With Keith Olbermann	Scarborough Country			Rita Cosby Live & Direct		The Situation With Tucker Carlson			
MOVIES	AMC ★ ★ "History of the World: Part I" (1981, Comedy) Mel Brooks. 'R' Ⓢ	★ ★ "What About Bob?" (1991, Comedy) Bill Murray. 'PG' Ⓢ		(:15) ★ ★ "Big" (1988, Fantasy) Tom Hanks, Elizabeth Perkins. 'PG' Ⓢ								
	TCM ★ ★ "The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer" (1947) Cary Grant. 'NR'	★ ★ "At the Circus" (1939) The Marx Brothers. 'NR'		★ ★ "F for Fake" (1973) Orson Welles, Oja Kodar. 'PG'			(:15) ★ ★ "Freaks" (1932) 'NR'					
	HBO ★ ★ "The Sisterhood of the Traveling Pants" (2005) Amber Tamblyn. 'PG'	Real Sports Ⓢ	★ ★ "Alexander" (2004) Colin Farrell. Macedonia's young king conquers much of the known world. 'R' Ⓢ									
	MAX (4:45) ★ ★ ★ "Titanic" (1997, Drama) Leonardo DiCaprio. 'PG-13' Ⓢ	★ ★ "War of the Worlds" (2005) Tom Cruise. 'PG-13' Ⓢ		★ "Catwoman" (2004) Halle Berry. 'PG-13' Ⓢ			Sex Spa II: Bod					
	SHOW ★ ★ "Sleepover" (2004) Alexa Vega. iTV. 'PG' Ⓢ	★ ★ "The SpongeBob SquarePants Movie" (2004)		HUFF (iTV) Beth makes a request. Ⓢ			Penn & Teller	Penn & Teller	Penn & Teller		Survival Island	
	TMC ★ ★ "Last Action Hero" (1993) Arnold Schwarzenegger. 'PG-13' Ⓢ	(:15) "My Big Fat Independent Movie" (2005, Comedy) 'R'		(:45) ★ ★ "8 Heads in a Duffel Bag" (1997, Comedy) Joe Pesci. 'R'								The Wild Party 'R'
	STARZ! "Bridget Jones: Edge"	(:15) ★ ★ "Ice Princess" (2005, Comedy-Drama) Joan Cusack. 'G' Ⓢ		★ ★ "Little Black Book" (2004) Brittany Murphy. 'PG-13' Ⓢ			(10:50) ★ ★ "Man of the House" Ⓢ					
	ENCORE ★ ★ "The Butterfly Effect" (2004, Suspense) Ashton Kutcher. 'R' Ⓢ	★ ★ "Pleasantville" (1998, Comedy) Tobey Maguire. 'PG-13' Ⓢ		(:05) ★ ★ "Last Man Standing" (1996, Crime Drama) Bruce Willis. 'R' Ⓢ								

Personal Tech



NETWORKING: AOL executive James Bankoff discusses the new AIM pages, which will build on AOL's instant-messaging base.

The Space Race

MySpace.com has made social networks a top hi-tech priority

WEB SITES | It's only natural for companies large and small to want to capture some of the social networking magic of MySpace.com, a Web site that has risen out of nowhere to become the Internet's second busiest by successfully figuring out what teens and young adults want.

AOL joined the pack this month with its own take on social networking, a loose term for services that help users expand their circles of friends through existing connections, rather than meeting randomly or by keyword matches alone.

The rapid growth of MySpace and last year's purchase of its parent company by Rupert Murdoch's News Corp. for \$580 million "definitely accelerated something," said Greg Sterling, an industry analyst with Sterling Market Intelligence.

MySpace's user base more than quadrupled to nearly 80 million over the past year, with as many as 270,000 joining every day.

Yahoo even announced a home page redesign this week in part to fend off the rising threat, adding recommendations and insights about cultural trends.

Others, mostly startups, are hoping to become the next-generation MySpace, offering new tools or specialized features for niches.

CollectiveX Inc. launched this month as a network for professionals and other pre-organized groups. Famoodle started in April as a MySpace for families.

The most notable of the newcomers is AOL's AIM Pages, which is building upon its already substantial instant-messaging base of 49 million active users worldwide.

MySpace wasn't first, either. But it surpassed Friendster Inc. in monthly visitors just a half-year after formally launching.

Analysts note that if Friendster can fall, so can MySpace.

"It's like the one hot bar or restaurant everybody descends upon," Sterling said. "Then it gets cold and people leave it." **ANICK JESDANUN (AP)**

Score One For Spam

E-MAIL | The company behind a controversial anti-spam initiative is shutting down the service after spammers began threatening users and rendering the company's site inaccessible.

In a statement, Blue Security Inc.

said it wanted to avoid "an ever-escalating cyber war through our continued operations."

Blue Security has been criticized by some anti-spam advocates because its Blue Frog service revolves around getting thousands of users to collectively disable the Web sites that spammers use to sell their wares.

Users would add e-mail addresses to Blue Frog's "do-not-spam" list.

The company's service included enabling software on users' computers to send complaints to spammers automatically. Hundreds of thousands complaining at once can knock out a Web site and, the company says, encourage spammers to stop.

But critics say the tactic resembles a denial-of-service attack, the type spammers used against Blue Security in retaliation. **(AP)**

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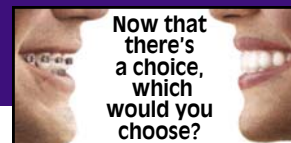
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Guns

Smaller, even pretty, firearms are winning over a female market

Kay Clark Miculek is a champion shot. But though she may be pretty deft with a shotgun, she's got to put some work into using that weapon. That's because this gun shop owner in Louisiana usually must get shotguns shortened to fit her 5-foot-3-inch frame.

"Any shotgun I get, I have to get cut off. Not a lot of lady models are shorter," said Clark Miculek, 49, who runs camps throughout the country teaching women to shoot.

But she knows that gun makers are now coming out with shorter, lighter shotguns, new grips on handguns and flashier designs, all of which attract women buyers.

Manufacturers are tweaking their products and changing how they approach the burgeoning female market, which is estimated to be worth at least \$285 million this year in firearm sales alone. Gunmakers displayed their new wares this past week in Milwaukee, at the National Rifle Association's annual convention.

"The women of America are very concerned about safety and security for themselves and their families," said Sandy Froman, NRA president. "I think many of us realize ultimately we're the ones responsible for our own defense."

Froman bought her first gun more than 20 years ago after someone tried to break into her home. She signed up for a gun safety class, realized she was a decent shot and stuck with it.

Women make up 15 percent of

Weapons for Women

the marketplace when it comes to shooting sports and hunting, according to the National Shooting Sports Foundation. Participation in hunting and target shooting has risen 50 percent to 6.3 million women from 1999 to 2004, the group said.

Women will spend at least \$285 million on firearms this year, the group said, plus at least \$135 million on ammunition, accessories and hunting equipment. It's a small piece of the entire market, which was worth \$2.8 billion in 2004, but manufacturers believe

it's worth pursuing, said group spokesman Steve Wagner.

Froman said, as a lover of shopping, she's particularly interested in new accessories and clothing. "If I go hunting, I don't want to be slopping around in clothes where the sleeves are too long and the pant legs are dragging on the ground," she said.

Remington has been making lighter, shorter guns geared toward women and youths for the past 15 years, said spokesman Al Russo. The segment is among the fastest growing for the company. Of

the company's 450 different guns, 5 percent to 7 percent are for women and kids.

Remington worked specifically to reduce the amount of force its guns give off. The type of ammunition used also affects how much force, or recoil, guns give off, so that has been tweaked as well, he said.

Just a few months ago, the company released its lightest shotgun ever, the 105 Cti 12-gauge semi-automatic, which weighs 7 lbs., down from the full-weight version of 8.25 pounds. While the gun isn't

technically targeted toward women, it has been doing especially well in that segment, he said.

A self-proclaimed lover of pretty guns, shop owner Clark Miculek adores a 24-karat gold handgun she uses in competition. "I don't wear any jewelry, so my gold is on my gun," she said.

But attracting women gun buyers isn't as simple as putting designs on guns or offering them in different colors, said Paul Pluff, a spokesman for gunmaker Smith & Wesson. Instead, manufacturers must focus on making their guns more versatile, such as changing the grip size so women can control the weapons better. "You're not buying a pair of

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SHE-SHOOTER: Miculek brandishes a Kimber 1911 and a Smith and Wesson 1911.

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Supermarkets Shifting

Business

How grocery stores are changing to suit Hispanic families

From "Tony el Tigre" on Frosted Flakes boxes to a Latin-dance exercise video, Kellogg is in hot pursuit of Hispanic grocery shoppers.

With young families and growing numbers, Hispanics are among the food industry's most coveted customers. Kellogg Co., the nation's dominant cereal maker, says it's boosting marketing to Hispanics by 60 percent.

"Obviously, we care about kids — lots of our products are focused on children and the whole family," said Sandra Uridge, senior director multicultural business. "Hispanics actually do what we call 'event' shopping. They go as a family to the store."

Kellogg took the unusual step of focusing solely on Hispanic marketing at the Food Marketing Institute

Hispanic families tend to be larger households, have more kids and a higher growth rate. You can understand why Kellogg's would care, why Coke would care."

LIBBEY PAUL
ACNIELSEN

Show, an annual trade show for supermarkets that took place earlier this month in Chicago.

Unilever, maker of Hellmann's, Lipton and Skippy, among other brands, released results at the show of a study on how Hispanic customers shop for food.

Unilever had about 800 Hispanic households keep diaries and receipts from 3,621 trips to the store. The survey found that Hispanic shoppers tend to plan their shopping ahead, more so than shoppers generally, with an



Tony the Tiger says "G-r-r-reat!" in English and "G-r-r-riquisimos!" in Spanish.

eye toward discount specials.

"Many retailers today don't have a large percentage of Hispanics in the marketplace, and yet everybody will as time goes on," said Mike Twitty, a senior group research manager for Unilever.

Hispanics are the youngest, fastest-growing segment of the American population, accord-

ing to the Census Bureau. They were 14 percent of the population in 2004 but made up nearly half the nation's growth from 2000 to 2004. Their median age, just under 27 years, is younger than the general population.

Hispanics are driving what little growth there is in supermarket shopping, said Libbey Paul, a

senior vice president of marketing at ACNielsen.

"They tend to be larger households, have more kids and a higher growth rate," Paul said. "You can understand why Kellogg's would care, why Coke would care."

ACNielsen has begun measuring sales to Hispanics by looking at demographics and sales at individual stores.

However, marketing by stores and food companies goes far beyond Spanish-language packages and ads.

Supermarkets are looking at the categories that Hispanics seem to buy more of — things that large, young families need, such as toothpaste, and products that younger adults want to buy, such as beer.

And food companies are looking at the tastes and flavors that Hispanics want, such as citrus and berry, according to ACNielsen. For example, Unilever created a Hellman's mayonnaise with lemon specifically for the group.

Many companies are only now realizing the impact of Hispanics as a group.

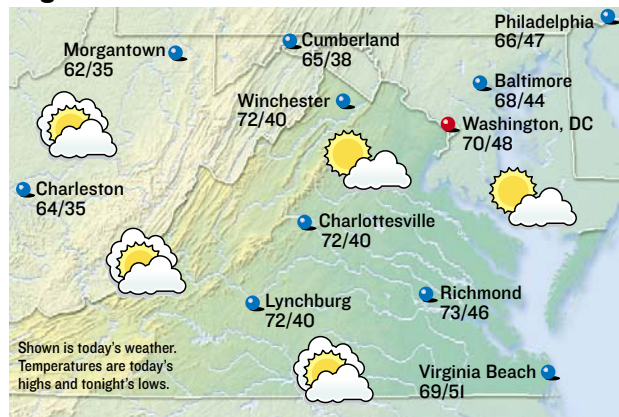
Paul said recent immigration rallies around the country shows that Hispanic influence has reached "a tipping point."

"They've become more politically and socially visible; it's never been this vocal," she said. LIBBY QUAD (AP)

5 Day Forecast for the Washington Area

Today	Tonight	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mostly sunny and breezy	Clear and cool	Mostly sunny and breezy	Sunny to partly cloudy and pleasant	Partly sunny	Periods of sun, warm in the p.m.
70°	48°	72° / 52°	72° / 56°	77° / 61°	80° / 62°

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Washington, D.C., through 4 p.m. Sun.

Temperature

High	72°
Low	49°
Normal high	77°
Normal low	57°
Average humidity	42%

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m.	0.00"
Month to date	2.10"
Normal month to date	2.58"
Year to date	10.96"
Last year to date	17.85"
Normal year to date	14.79"

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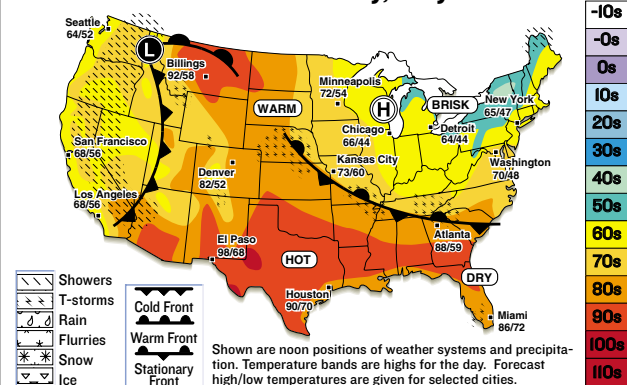
D.C. Metro: Today, mostly sunny, breezy. High 70. Winds northwest 10-20 mph. Tonight, clear, cool. Low 48. Winds northwest 6-12 mph.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	5:50 a.m.
Sunset tonight	8:20 p.m.
Moonrise today	3:03 a.m.
Moonset today	3:24 p.m.



National Weather for Monday, May 22



National Cities

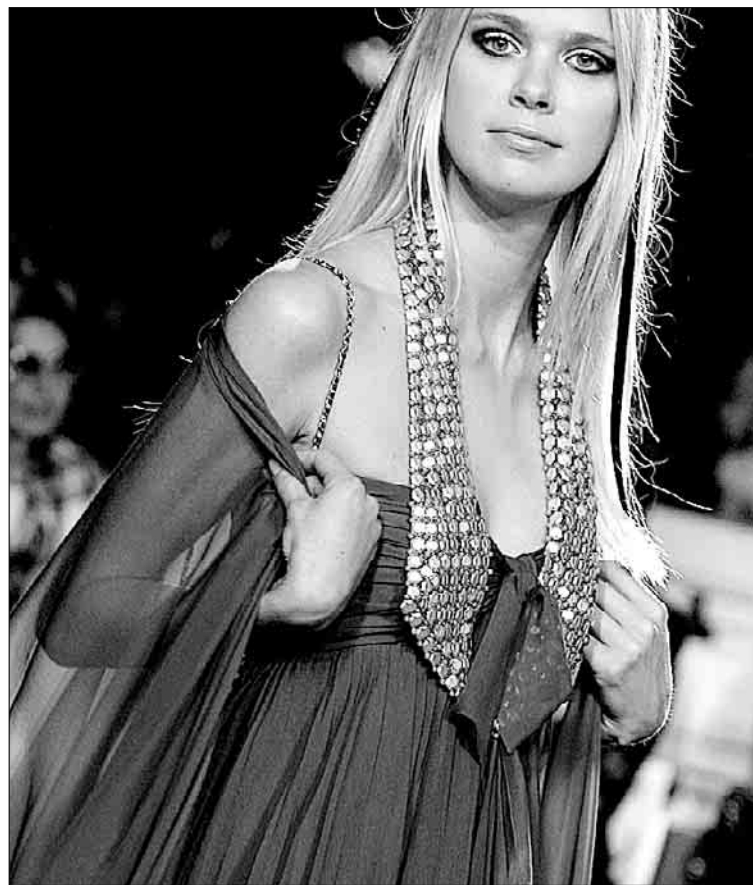
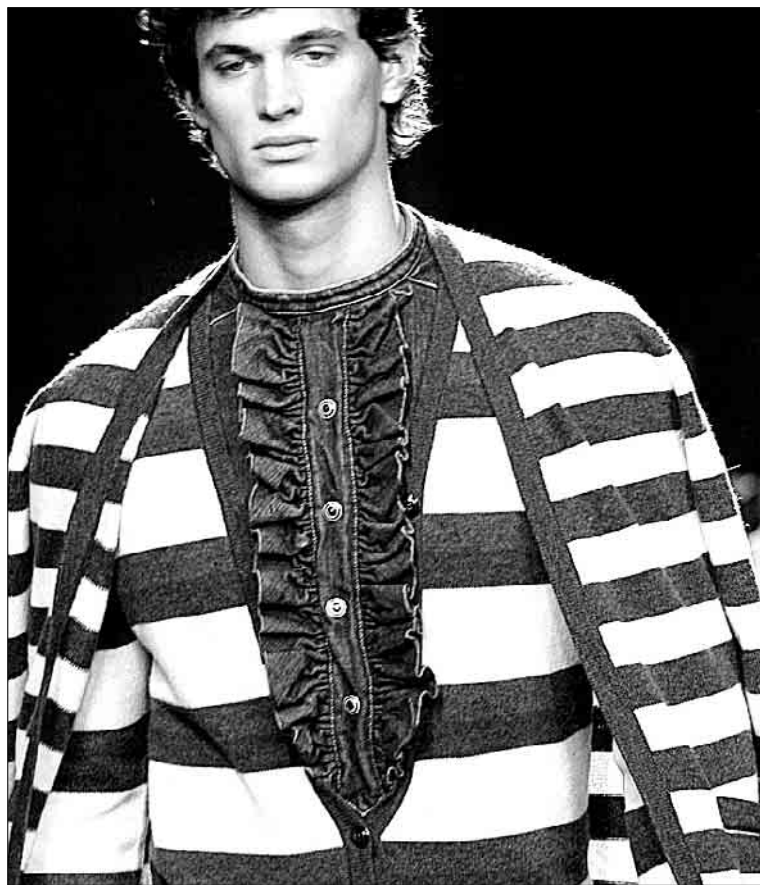
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Atlanta	88/59/t	83/63/t
Boston	65/47/pc	67/48/pc
Chicago	66/44/s	72/52/s
Dallas	91/70/pc	92/72/pc
Denver	82/52/t	76/49/s
Honolulu	84/70/s	85/70/s
Los Angeles	68/56/r	76/58/s
Miami	86/72/t	83/73/t
New York City	65/47/pc	68/51/pc
Orlando	90/68/pc	88/68/pc
Seattle	64/52/sh	66/51/sh

World Cities

City	Today	Tues.
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Buenos Aires	54/43/s	54/51/s
Calgary	78/50/pc	71/44/pc
Dublin	54/39/pc	52/39/c
Geneva	68/46/t	61/39/c
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s=sunny, pc=partly cloudy, c=cloudy, sh=showers, t=thunderstorms, r=rain, sf=snow flurries, sn=snow, i=ice.

Styles | LOOK^{*}out



White stripes and ruffles are key parts of this layered men's look (pictured left). The flowing green gown (pictured right) would look stunning on actress Julianne Moore.

Cruise With Chanel

Rock-Star Fashions Are The Next Stop

Karl Lagerfeld has a message for fashionistas: Travel in style, not sweat pants, and look pretty.

Lagerfeld presented his new cruise collection for Chanel on Wednesday in a show staged at Grand Central Terminal. A glamorous group, including Julianne Moore, Naomi Watts and Mischa Barton,

packed an intimate area set up in the terminal's main concourse.

As hard-rock music blared, models catwalked in a brisk march, like commuters speeding up to catch a train. The clothes were chic, edgy and feminine, many looks meshing classic Chanel silhouettes with a breezy rock-star sensibility. A white skirt suit had a graffiti-like pattern, featuring sequins and the Chanel logo, in splashes of sky blue and fuchsia.

Most styles were in black and white, interrupted by bright spots of color or muted neutral tones. A



Chanel harkened back to ancient times with this models' eye-catching footwear: flat, knee-length sandals in leather.

standout was a floor-length navy blue belted coat that resembled a sweeping ball gown.

A romantic beige babydoll dress had sleeves with vertical ribbing and fell just below the knee. It was worn with a black floppy hat with ribbon trim and sheer black gloves.

A sporty, high-collared black jacket, paired with roomy jeans, had puffed sleeves and ruffled trim. A dressier take matched denim with a boucle belted blazer worn over a Victorian-style blouse.

Other styles included a floaty white chiffon blouse with a short black skirt, blue shorts with a high-neck top and jacket, and a black-and-white swimsuit paired with a luxe cover-up.

Barton, whose character on the TV series "The O.C." died on the show's season finale, said one of her favorites was a black party dress that had a thick gold band fastened at the waist with a shiny rose.

Many of the skirts and dresses were worn with unusual footwear — flat, knee-length Grecian sandals in leather with interweaving and silver buckles. SAMANTHA CRITCHELL (AP)

NEW YORK
Runway
REPORT

Self-Defense



Cuter Than Karate

What if all muggings started with "Hand me your money" but ended with "OMG, that is SO darling!" And indeed, Pepperface pepper spray (\$35, pepperface.com) is very cute. The sleek little canisters, about 3.5 inches long, come in steel, metallic purple or steel with a purple tip. Attached to a keychain, a unit looks almost exactly like a mini-flashlight. Until you flip off the safety with your thumb and send forth Oleoresin Capiscum instead of light. However, you will not find Pepperface cute if A.) you spray it into the wind or B.) you bring it through airport security in a carry-on. HOLLY J. MORRIS (EXPRESS)

Beauty

Feels Like Money

BIOTherm SOURCE THERAPIE SUPERACTIV (\$37 for 1 fl. oz., biotherm.com) feels expensive. Which it is if you buy Neutrogena and isn't if you buy La Mer. Maybe it's the heavy, blue-glass bottle that makes the "skin perfecting serum" feel so decadent, or its rich consistency, cucumber smell, and soothing feel. Sensorily, it's a spa vacation in a bottle. Biotherm claims the fluid, whose secret ingredient is a bacteria derivative called *Vitreoscilla*

Ferment, will refine skin's surface and impart a healthy glow. Our relatively youthful tester's skin looked about the same, but it felt like it drank a tall glass of water. H.J.M.



from readexpress.com

D.C.'s Political Cyclists

COMMUTING | It was **BIKE TO WORK DAY** on Friday and some of D.C.'s mayoral candidates turned out to court the healthy vote — with mixed results.

Reports biking blog **WASH CYCLE.TYPEPAD.COM**: “MARIE JOHNS needed a bicycling consultant to tell her not to mention that she enjoys ‘spinning.’ You could sense a collective eye roll. The crowd was so large you couldn’t here [sic] most speakers, but Linda Cropp — that woman [sic] knows how to project.”

But maybe this means Johns is actually going after the vote of the city’s many DJs. Can Cropp respond? **MICHAEL GRASS (EXPRESS)**

TAXI DISPATCHER STORIES | For

years, many in the D.C. area have complained about cab service, for many legitimate reasons. In the past year or so, it seems every profession has had a blogger write about it in detail. Now we’ve discovered a blog penned by a taxi company dispatcher who regales his readers with tales from taxi customers. From **BLANKTOP.BLOGSPOT.COM**:

LADY: Yes, I need you to pick me up from the Vietnamese restaurant.

ME: The Vietnamese restaurant?

LADY: Yes.

ME: Ma’am, there are at least a hundred Vietnamese restaurants around here. Could you maybe be a little more SPECIFIC?



Cyclists traditionally turn out in droves for Bike to Work Day, as on this day in 2004.

LADY: Uhhh, it’s in Arlington.
ME: Great! That narrows it down to about a dozen or so. Do you think you could give me the ADDRESS?

LADY: Well I don’t know the address.

ME: Can you ask somebody?
LADY: Well it’s on Wilson.”
As long as the area has people

who aren’t so hot with directions, this blog’s likely to have a decent complement of side-splitting content. **M.G.**

→ Coming up today

A recap of intrepid Express reporter Arion Berger’s weekend at Cannes, including sightings of Ethan Hawke and Greg Kinnear (who “looks like a police chief caught in a brothel raid”).

? Poll Center

TODAY'S QUESTION

What do you think will become of the Nats/Orioles rivalry?

1. Forever dull
2. Too early to tell
3. Next Red Sox/Yankees
4. What rivalry?

FRIDAY'S RESULTS

What do you think of “The Da Vinci Code” as a movie?

- 43% I want to see it
- 12% It can't match the book
- 14% I won't see it
- 31% I don't care

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“The Aquabats may be the greatest rock-’n’-roll band in the history of mankind. At least, in concept. I could care less about the music.”

SONOFCLOWNOPS.BLOGSPOT.COM ON THE WACKY CALIFORNIA MULTI-MEMBERED SKA PUNK BAND THAT HAS IMPERSONATED A DIFFERENT THUG GROUP FROM THE BATMAN TV SHOW ON EACH ALBUM COVER

Talking v. Typing

“The blogosphere needs to translate into real people in a physical location — doing this thing I’ll call ‘conversation.’”

BLOG.ALTHIPPO.COM SAYS SPEECH HELPS BLOGGERS TO UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER

C'mon, U.S. Publishers!

“This is one of the most beautiful books I have ever seen: Poems and paintings by one of Mexico’s most original and accomplished artists, Alfredo Castaneda, translated by the greatest living translator of Mexican literature, Margaret Sayers Peden. But — oh, this world of Philistines! — it does not have a U.S. distributor.”

MADAMMAYO.BLOGSPOT.COM LAMENTS THAT ‘BOOK OF HOURS’ CAN’T BE FOUND OUTSIDE OF A NEW YORK GALLERY.



← Reef Reference

“Since it probably is a better display than the New York aquarium, they concluded it wasn’t worth it to have them because drunk people can’t possibly appreciate this fact. I took the opportunity on Friday to inquire of the owner what the overhead is, and he immediately spat out, ‘\$32,700 per year!’”

HARMANYMUSIC.BLOGSPOT.COM DISCUSSING FRIENDS’ MUSINGS ON THE COSTS OF GIANT FISH TANKS AT NIGHTSPOT THE REEF

“At around Mile 5 or so you go down the actual hill for which Capitol Hill is named, and then, of course, you go back up it. Luckily, the finish is just after that.”

JODASM.BLOGSPOT.COM RAN THE CAPITOL HILL 10K RACE ON SUNDAY, FINDING RELIEF IN THE FINISH LINE JUST PAST THE COURSE’S STEEP CLIMB TOWARD THE END.

Live Online

Lisa de Moraes

Post TV Columnist **LISA DE MORAES** was online Friday to talk about shifting time-slots, man crushes and what she hates to watch. | washingtontopost.com/liveonline

I must tell you moving “Grey’s Anatomy” to Thursday is terrible — I watch it Sunday night as a final relaxing hour of the weekend. Mid-week makes things so much more difficult. A pox on ABC.

It’s true that you have different viewing experiences on different nights of the week based on the rhythm of the week. Sunday is definitely a kick back night — perfect for guilty-pleasure TV programming. That said, I get why ABC moved the show — they really had to. Two back-to-back hits on one night is a waste. You want the timeslot after a hit to be open so you can plant a little new show in there and let it grow off of the large audience that’s delivered to it by the hit lead-in.

So will Mischa Barton not be back on “The OC” next year? I may actually have to start watching again.

She is gone, gone, gone. We’re free at last!

So now that the cast of “Prison Break” has broken out of prison, the

show’s over, right?

No, now they’ll be on the lam while searching for buried treasure or something. Season three they’ll be caught and put on trial; season four they get their own talk show on “CNN Headline News.”

Is it socially acceptable to have a man crush on Jack Bauer?

I say — why not! I’d go with Dr. House, of course, but you’re free to have crushes on any fictitious character you want in this country — I think, unless I missed the memo from the Department of Homeland Security.

Is there a show they can’t pay you to watch?

Football. Except the Super Bowl — the ads are great and there’s always Puppy Bowl on Animal Planet when I need a break.

→ Today on Live Online

NOON: The Post’s Mary Battiata fields questions and comments about local artist Allen D. Carter and the world he inhabits.

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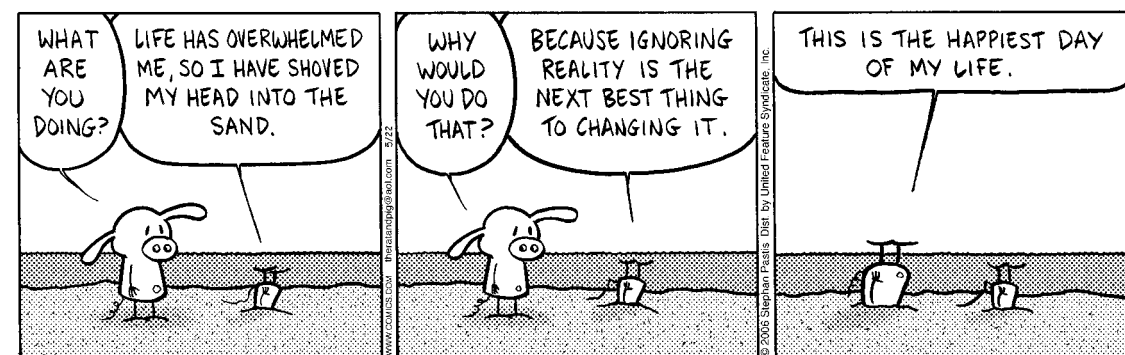
LET YOUR CAT SLEEP IN PEACE. That’s no fun! Not when a particularly lazy cat — and all cats are particularly lazy — will let you pile stacks of whatever you please up on top of them while they nap. See Stuffonmycat.com for examples and send in your own pics.

Bizarro | Dan Piraro

Cornered | Mike Baldwin


"It's a cop from down on the sidewalk. Should I tell him you're out of the office?"

Pooch Cafe | Paul Gilligan

Pearls Before Swine | Stephan Pastis

The Duplex | Glenn McCoy


Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Communication is the key, as always — but you can be a little more imaginative and persuasive than you might usually be.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Quality, not quantity, must be your focus. Success will be limited if you're not willing to improve your specific work habits.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You can enjoy a controlling influence over those with whom you live and work. The decisions you make will affect many others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're sure to surprise the more unsuspecting of your public simply by making a decision that is actually very much in character.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Developments may leave you rather bewildered, but with a little effort you can figure out which is which and what is what.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Someone may be playing a strange sort of guessing game with you, but you should find the strength to call it quits and

move on.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Though you are technically the one in control, you're going to want to turn to someone else for input and guidance.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You have a great deal of patience, which will be put to the test as you face a challenge from someone who is overstepping his bounds.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You won't be able to separate your personal feelings from the experiences you are faced with. It's time to reconcile with the facts.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You'll have to go through an audition or tryout of sorts before someone decides to give you the go-ahead. It'll be no-holds-barred.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're sure to attract some criticism simply for doing your job. Take care, however, that you don't start overstepping your bounds.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) All it takes is a little truth — plus a dash of daring. Combined, these two ingredients can yield a remarkable concoction.

Letters

Police Have Other Priorities

I DISAGREE with Friday's letter suggesting the need for a police officer on every Metro car. Instead of diverting an already overstretched police force to cover a fleet of over 900 rail cars, how about placing

more officers on foot patrol in real crime areas? In my neighborhood, Truxton Circle, we've had two recent homicides and a violent mugging, and drug use and prostitution remain rampant. The police have greater priorities than commuters talking loudly on their cell phones or eating while on the Metro.

—MAC CHATHAM
Washington, D.C.

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Today in History

1868 The "Great Train Robbery" took place near Marshfield, Ind., as seven members of the Reno gang made off with \$96,000 in loot.

1939 Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini signed a "Pact of Steel" committing Germany and Italy to a military alliance.

1969 The lunar module of Apollo 10 flew to within nine miles of the moon's surface in a dress rehearsal for the first lunar landing.

1992 After a nearly 30 years, Johnny Carson hosted



Today, in 1996, President Clinton was cheered by sailors on the USS Intrepid.

NBC's "Tonight Show" for the last time. **1996** President Clinton countered Republican criticism of his foreign policy during a commencement address at the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn.



"Sometimes I'm just clumsy, y'all."

PARENTING

White Trash Celeb Styles And Parenting Don't Mix

BRITNEY SPEARS stumbled outside The Ritz-Carlton hotel with her 8-month-old son in one hand and a glass in the other. Her long pants apparently got tangled in her open-toed shoes. She was able to keep her balance and hold on to her son, with help from a bodyguard. (AP)

HUMANITARIANS

Remember When Bono Was Part of That Rock Band?

BONO said Saturday that Africa must keep working to stop malaria, which



kills more than 1 million people a year — many of them young children on the continent. "In the 21st century, we have

Africans using modern technology to find its own solutions to deadly malaria," the U2 frontman said during a visit to Tanzania. (AP)



BRAWLING

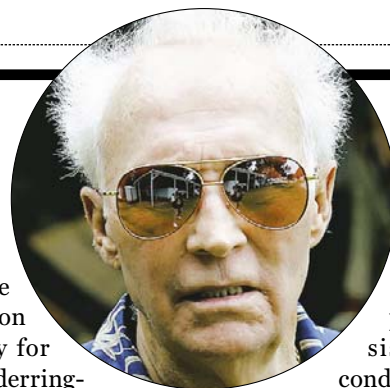
Fashionably Irate

When **AXL ROSE** moved the drink of Tommy Hilfiger's girlfriend on Thursday night, the designer responded with force. "I moved his girlfriend's drink so it wouldn't spill," Rose told the Los Angeles radio station KROQ on Friday. "It was the most surreal thing, I think, that's ever happened to me in my life." According to the 44-year-old singer, Hilfiger, 55, smacked him in the arm and told him to put the drink back. "He just kept smacking me," Rose said. (AP)

AGING

Let This Be A Lesson To You, Mr. David Blaine

EVEL KNieVEL, the '70s cultural icon and poster boy for fast living and derring-do is 67, his body broken by years of spectacular crashes and ravaged by a multitude of serious ailments. The daredevil king can hardly get



Knievel now perform stunts only with his hair.

out of bed most days. Idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, an incurable condition, is scarring and hardening his lungs. He's recovering from a stroke and has diabetes. He's broken about 40 bones, and is in constant pain. (AP)

LECTURING

Grimacing Will Save Us All!

The United States is emerging from a "bubble of unreality" about the problem of global warming, former Vice President **AL GORE** said Saturday at the Cannes Film Festival. Gore was promoting the documentary "An Inconvenient Truth," which chron-



icles his efforts to bring the dangers of climate change to greater attention. Gore said he believed Americans were ahead of U.S. politicians in their thinking about the issue. (AP)

IMPERSONATING

Dear Sir, Please Leave the Acting Up to the Talent

Oscar-winning actress **HALLE BERRY** appeared on Chris Moyles' Radio One breakfast show Thursday and clashed with her British host after he impersonated what he described as a "big, fat, black guy." "Are we having a racist moment here?" Berry asked Moyles after she took exception to his impersonation. Moyles, who is white, said he just couldn't do American accents. (AP)



Unbeknownst to her fans, Halle can do a mean Cockney accent.

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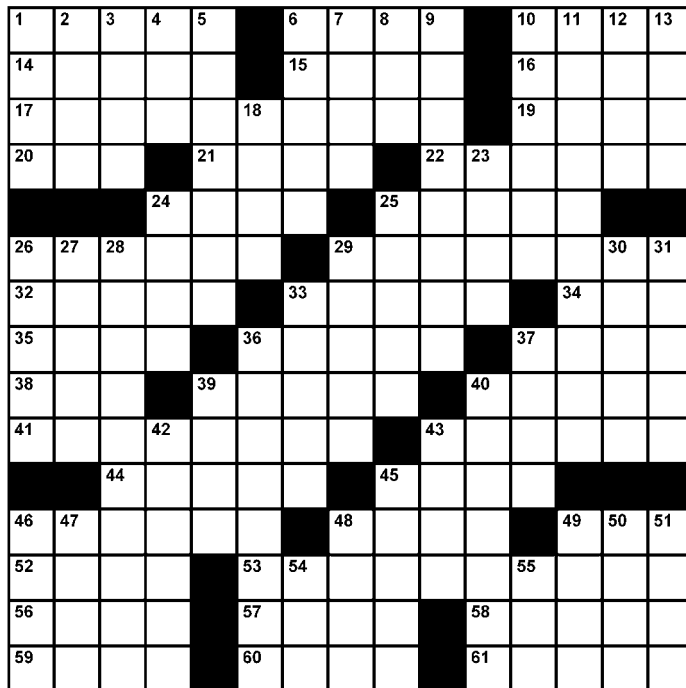
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6 Pond life
10 Way, way over there
14 He wrote of "sour grapes"
15 Kind of little package
16 A type of gin
17 Nonsense!
19 Undisturbed?
20 Literary "before"
21 An American staple crop
22 Didn't hesitate at a chance
24 Governmental appointee, e.g.
25 Much more than nippy
26 Former monetary units of Ecuador
29 Selling tools
32 Congeals
33 Aromatic herb
34 Kin of "Wow!"
35 Partner of Amos
36 Characteristic of a prophet
37 Purviance or Ferber
38 X ending
39 Magnificent number, in film
40 Bundled, as straw
41 One who works with a certain alloy
43 Parts of a stairway
44 Winning, for

DOWN

- now
45 Being the only one
46 Reverential
48 Hire for, as a position
49 Salad lettuce
52 Misfortunes
53 Evasive language
56 Sea lane
hazard
57 Off the beaten track
58 Pacific kingdom
59 Musical good night
60 Trader's word
61 Bod-wetter?

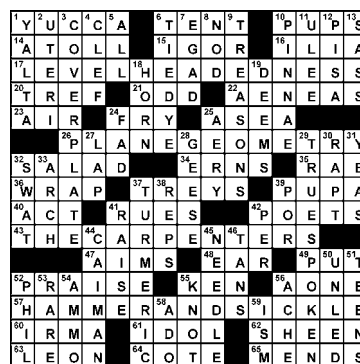
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- 1 Academy Award-winning 1995 film
2 Paddler's target, perhaps
3 Grenada, e.g.
4 King of Kings
5 Biological divisions
6 "The Giant" of wrestling
7 Mean partner
8 Electric partner
9 Muscular
10 Verbally assault, perhaps
11 Gobbledygook
12 Great rating
13 Marsh plant
18 Retinal cells
23 Vigorousness
24 Pretentious to a fault
25 Oliver Twist,



- for one
26 Disney dog
27 Forearm bones
28 Gibberish
29 More darling
30 Hopeless case
31 Some food fishes
33 Went spelunking
36 Warm-weather living quarters
37 Affluence
39 Appear to one's own mind
40 Military lodgings
42 Postgraduate projects
43 Bakery product
45 Woman fortuneteller
46 Look for evidence, in a way
47 Spanish stewpot
48 Stow the sails
49 Word with sugar or candy
50 First name in gymnasts
51 Game with 20 fewer cards than a full deck
54 IOU verb
55 Wreckers do this

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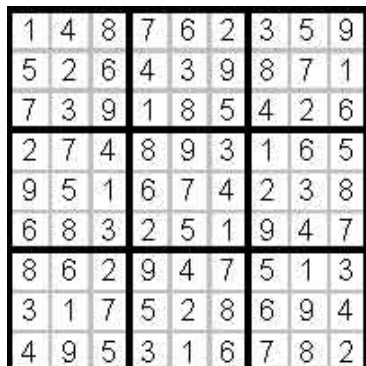


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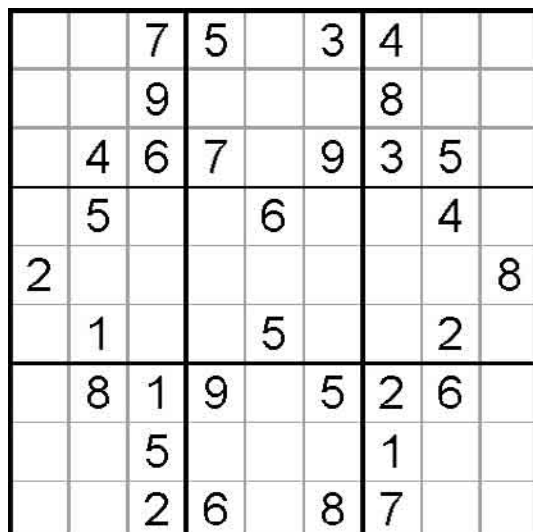
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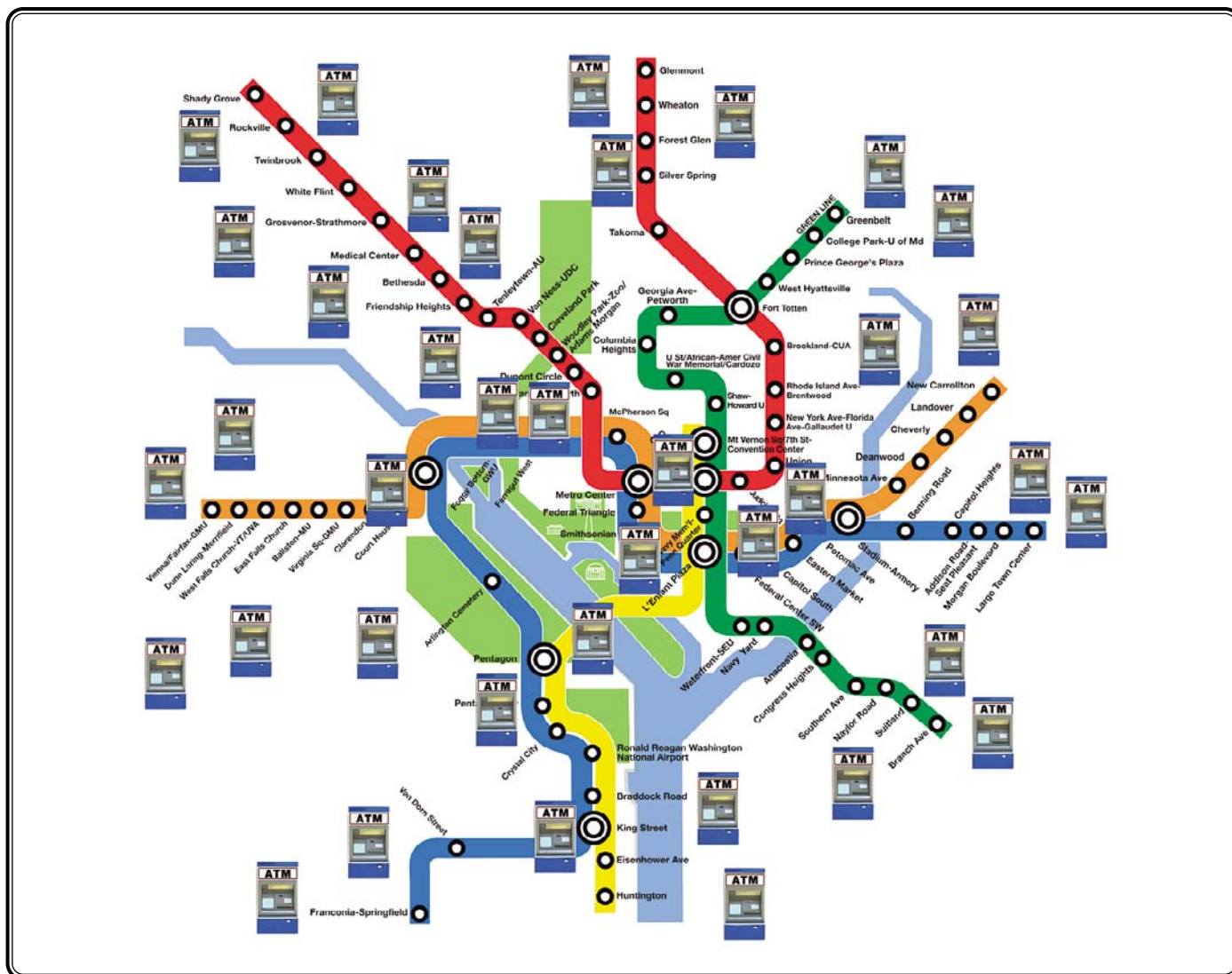
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